

Party Planning

The Task:

We are having a class party! You need to plan out the swag bags, decide what you are bringing for the treat bags, and bring a baked good for your class party. That's a lot to plan.

On the following pages you are going to:

- Pick out the best deals for candy at Hershey's Candy Emporium.
- Work out the proportions needed to bake cupcakes, cookies or make puffed cereal marshmallow treats for your class party!
- Pick out items to be included in the swag bags for the class and create a method for stuffing the bags efficiently.

Your Goals:

1. You need to bring in candy for the class goody bags. Be sure to get the best deal possible on the candy.
2. You need to determine the amount of ingredients needed for a yummy treat for your entire class.
3. Create a ratio of items to be included in the swag bags.
4. Determine your total cost for the party by finding out how much the ingredients cost for the yummy treat.

Skills to focus on:

- Ratios and Unit Rates
- Proportions
- Reason abstractly and quantitatively
- Construct viable arguments and critique the reasoning of others
- Use appropriate tools strategically
- Look for evidence
- Persevere in solving a problem
- Logical reasoning and organized work/thoughts

Check-ins:

- Hershey's Candy Emporium
- Yummy Treats
- Swag Bags
- How much will each bag cost?
- Before you decide how best to present your design

Name: _____ Date: _____ Period: _____

Group Members: _____

1) What is this task asking you to do?

2) What key words/information from the situation are helpful?

3) How do you think you are going to figure out/solve this situation?

4) Why did you choose the strategy that you did?

5) Is your solution reasonable?